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As discussed during our telephone discussion on September 18, 2007, I am forwarding herewith a preliminary copy of the Response that the Applicants intend to file in reply to the outstanding Office Action for the above-referenced patent application.

We are forwarding a copy of this Response to you for your consideration in advance of our telephone interview on Tuesday, October 2, 2007 at 10am.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Yours truly,

Patricia Folkins

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RESPONSE

Sirs:

The present letter is filed in response to the Office Action of June 4, 2007. The Applicants are simultaneously filing a request for a one-month extension of time. Accordingly this response is timely filed.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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